

DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY FOR PATENT APPLICATION

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

This declaration is of the following type: (check one)

- ☒ Original
- ☐ Design
- ☐ Supplemental
- ☐ National Stage of PCT

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

**Method for Selecting Components for a Matched Set From a Wafer Interposer Assembly**

the specification of which: (check one)

- ☒ is attached hereto;
- ☐ was filed on , as Application Serial No. , and was amended on (if applicable);
- ☐ was described and claimed in PCT International Application No. filed on and amended under PCT Article 19 on (if any).

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the examination of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, Section 1.56(a), and which is material to the examination of this application, namely, information where there is a substantial likelihood that a reasonable examiner would consider it important in deciding whether to allow the application to issue as a patent.

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, Section 119 of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application of which priority is claimed:

PRIOR FOREIGN APPLICATION(S)

Number                      Country                      Day/Month/Year Filed                      Priority Claimed

This declaration is of the following type: (if applicable)

- ( ) Divisional  
( ) Continuation  
( ) Continuation-in-part

I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, Section 120 of any United States application(s) listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States Application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code, Section 112, we hereby acknowledge the duty to disclose material information as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, Section 1.56(a) which occurred between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application:

Application Serial No.                      Filing Date                      Status (patented, pending, abandoned)

POWER OF ATTORNEY: As a named inventor, I hereby appoint the following attorney(s) jointly and severally to prosecute this application and transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith and to file any and all International Application(s) with respect thereto and to act on my behalf before the competent International Authorities with respect thereto: Lawrence R. Youst (Reg. No. 38,795); Steven W. Smith (Reg. No. 36,684) and Shreen K. Danamraj (Reg. No. 41,696) of Smith, Danamraj & Youst, P.C., 12900 Preston Road, Suite 1200, LB 15, Dallas, Texas 75230-1328.

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**VERIFIED STATEMENT (DECLARATION) CLAIMING SMALL ENTITY  
STATUS - SMALL BUSINESS CONCERN**

Applicant: Micro-ASI, Inc.

For: Method for Selecting Components for a Matched Set From a Wafer Interposer Assembly

I hereby declare that I am an official of the small business empowered to act on behalf of the concern identified below:

Name of Organization: Micro-ASI, Inc.

Address of Organization: 12655 North Central Expressway  
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VERIFIED STATEMENT (DECLARATION) CLAIMING SMALL ENTITY  
STATUS (37 CFR 1.9(f) and 1.27 (c)) - SMALL BUSINESS CONCERN

The type of organization is a small business concern.

I hereby declare that the organization identified above qualifies as a small business as defined in 37 C.F.R. §1.9(d), and thus is a "small entity" as defined in §1.9(f), for purposes of paying reduced fees under Sections 41(a) and (b) of Title 35, United States Code, in that the number of employees of the concern, including those of its affiliates, does not exceed 500 persons. For purposes of this statement, (1) the number of employees of the business concern is the average over the previous fiscal year of the concern of the persons employed on a full-time, part-time or temporary basis during each of the pay periods of the fiscal year, and (2) concerns are affiliates of each other when either, directly or indirectly, one concern controls or has the power to control the other, or a third party or parties controls or has the power to control both.

I hereby declare that exclusive rights to the invention have been conveyed to and remain with the organization with respect to the invention, entitled "Chip Assembly with Integrated Power Distribution Between a Wafer Interposer and an Integrated Circuit Chip" by inventor Jerry D. Kline described in:

- [X] the specification filed herewith  
[ ] application serial no. \_\_\_\_\_, filed \_\_\_\_\_.  
[ ] patent no. \_\_\_\_\_, issued \_\_\_\_\_.

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If the rights held by the above identified small business concern are not exclusive, each individual, concern or organization having rights to the invention is listed below\* and no rights to the invention are held by any person, other than the inventor, who could not qualify as a small business concern under 37 C.F.R. 1.9(d) or a nonprofit organization under 37 C.F.R. 1.9(e).

\* NOTE: Separate verified statements are required from each named person, concern or organization having rights to the invention averring to their status as small entities.

I acknowledge the duty to file, in this application or patent notification of any change in status resulting in loss of entitlement to small entity status prior to paying, or at the time of paying, the earliest of the issue fee or any maintenance fee due after the date on which status as a small entity is no longer appropriate.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application, any patent issuing thereon, or any patent to which this verified statement is directed.

Name of person signing: Jerry D. Kline  
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Signature: Jerry D. Kline Date: 9/29/00

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